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For: **FOLDABLE BASSINET WITH SUSPENDED  
FLOOR HINGE**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Prior to consideration of the above-referenced application, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/563,139, applicants respectfully request the following amendments be entered.